AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121:

On page 3, before the paragraph beginning on line 21, enter the following paragraph:

Brief Description of the Drawings

Fig. 1 shows conversion of N_2O for CeO_2 (21.2%)/ ZrO_2 (78.8%)

Fig. 2 shows conversion of N_2O for CeO_2 (48.9%)/ ZrO_2 (51.1%)

Fig. 3 shows conversion of N₂O for CeO₂ (60.4%)/ZrO₂ (36.4%)/Y₂O₃ (3.2%)

Fig. 4 shows conversion of N₂O for CeO₂ (70.2%)/ZrO₂ (28.8%)

On page 7, delete figure I from the specification.

On page 8, delete figures II and III from the specification.

On page 9, delete figure IV from the specification.